



<u>IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE</u>

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Thomas J. Foth et al.

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) Group Art Unit: 2164

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Claims Independent	24	-	20	Ε	4	X	\$18.00	=	72.00
Claims	4	-	3	=	1	X	\$84.00	=	84.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT									156.00

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